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VALVE BODY

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed November 14, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits the following:

- a) Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed November 14, 2006;
- b) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney document for the above referenced patent application; and
- c) Petition for one month extension of time for the above referenced patent application.

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Applicant believes all necessary items have now been forwarded to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for filing in the above identified patent application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-2148 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

If there are any matters concerning this Application that may be cleared up in a telephone conversation, please contact Applicants' attorney, Andreas Grubert, at 512.322.2545.

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/26/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/26/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/26/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/26/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/26/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/26/2006

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Action: Missing parts-Oath due

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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